

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant(s): SHIGA, et al.  
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**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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March 12, 2009

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 12, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as listed below and as set forth on the following pages:

**Amendments to the Claims**

**Remarks** are included following the amendments